State of South Carolina

METHODS FOR PROVIDING FOR SAFEGUARDS AGAINST UNNECESSARY OR INAPPROPRIATE UTILIZATION OF CARE AND SERVICES IN NURSING FACILITIES

- 1. For Medicaid sponsorship, PASARR screening, resident case mix classification determination, and approval of admission and/or payment must be approved prior to admission or payment.
- 2. Nursing facilities shall review and assure appropriate resident case mix classification and the need for continuing care through completion and quarterly review of Resident Assessments.
- 3. SHHSFC through contracts with DHEC for Survey and Certification, PASARR Auditing, and Validation of Case Mix Classifications, will assure on a sampling basis compliance with resident assessment completion and review requirements, and PASARR requirements as well as appropriate placement and payment levels.

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